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May 11, 2016

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Cynthia A. Harding, M.P.H.
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SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF THE USE OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO
ACCEPT NOTICE OF AWARD NUMBER 6NU52PS004714-02-02 FROM
THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION FOR
TUBERCULOSIS ELIMINATION AND LABORATORY SERVICES**

This is to notify you that I am exercising the delegated authority approved by your Board on November 18, 2014, to accept future awards and/or amendments that are consistent with the requirements of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Notice of Award (NA) Number 1U52PS004714-01 that extend the term through December 31, 2019, at amounts to be determined by the CDC, subject to review and approval by County Counsel, and notification to your Board and the Chief Executive Office.

On January 14, 2016, I notified your Board that I was accepting two CDC NAs for the Tuberculosis (TB) Elimination and Laboratory Services project: 1) CDC NA Number 5U52PS004714-02 authorizing a partial award of Financial Assistance in the amount of \$1,144, 963 and Direct Assistance in the amount of \$235,888 for the term January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016; and 2) CDC NA Number 5U52PS004714-02 REVISED, Revision 1, authorizing the carryover of \$380,098 in unobligated funds from calendar year (CY) 2015 to CY 2016.

Under the authority referenced above, I will accept CDC NA Number 6NU52PS004714-02-02, issued March 31, 2016, to award remaining CY 2016 funds in the amount of \$3,434,890. This amount is comprised of \$3,217,685 for TB Prevention and Control; \$31,336 for Human Resources Development; and \$185,869 for Public Health Laboratory Services. The total amount of Financial Assistance awarded for CY 2016 is \$4,959,951.

Acceptance of this NA will allow the Department of Public Health (DPH) to continue to support TB elimination and laboratory services in three main areas: 1) program staff who perform TB prevention and control activities such as surveillance, TB registry, epidemiology, directly observed therapy, information systems, and nursing consultation; 2) travel and registration to regional/national conferences and trainings to increase the TB skill sets of DPH staff; and 3) TB testing services provided by the Public Health Laboratory.

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County Counsel has reviewed and approved NA Number 6NU52PS004714-02-02 as to use and this delegated authority action.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

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c: Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors